

 \mathbf{AF} REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE **EXAMINING GROUP 2826**

> **PATENT** 0717-0445P

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

KAWANISHI et al.

Conf.:

8167

Appl. No.:

09/667,775

Group:

2826

Filed:

September 22, 2000

Examiner: J. MONDT

For:

LASER SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE, OPTICAL TRANSMISSION DEVICE, OPTICAL TRANSMISSION DEVICE, SYSTEM. ELECTRONIC CONTROL DEVICE, CONNECTOR, COMMUNICATION DEVICE, AND OPTICAL TRANSMISSION METHOD AND DATA

TRANSMISSION AND RECEPTION METHOD

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

MS AF

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 October 28, 2004

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated June 28, 2004, the period for response having been extended one (1) month to October 28, 2004, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes Amendments to the Claims and Remarks.

10/29/2004 SDENBOB1 00000004 09667775 110.00 OP

01 FC:1251